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Fabrinet Announces Second Quarter 2011 Financial Results

BANGKOK, Jan 31, 2011 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Fabrinet (NYSE: FN), a provider of precision optical, electro-mechanical and electronic manufacturing services to original equipment manufacturers of complex products, today announced its financial results for the second quarter of fiscal 2011, ended December 24, 2010.

Fabrinet reported total revenue of \$184.6 million for the second quarter of fiscal 2011, an increase of 61% compared to revenue of \$114.4 million for the comparable period in fiscal 2010. GAAP net income in the second quarter was \$15.8 million, or \$0.46 per diluted share, an increase of 42% compared to GAAP net income of \$11.1 million, or \$0.35 per share in the second quarter of 2010.

Tom Mitchell, Chief Executive Officer of Fabrinet, said, "We are pleased to have achieved record revenues in the second quarter and continued our long history of profitability. Our strong revenue and earnings performance was above expectations. We saw strength in all product areas, with growth from optical communications above our overall growth rate. Looking ahead, we continue to be optimistic on the growth of our core markets."

Business Outlook

Based on information available as of January 31, 2011, Fabrinet is issuing guidance for the third quarter of fiscal 2011 as follows:

The company expects third quarter revenue to be in the range of \$182 million to \$187 million. GAAP net income is expected to be in the range of \$0.47 to \$0.49 per share, based on approximately 34.6 million fully diluted weighted average shares outstanding.

Conference Call Information

What: Fabrinet second guarter 2011 financial results conference call

When: Monday, January 31, 2011

Time: 5:00 p.m. ET

Live Call: (866) 831-6243, domestic

(617) 213-8855, international

Passcode 43014867

Replay: (888) 286-8010, domestic

(617) 801-6888, international

Passcode 76231574

Webcast: <u>investor.fabrinet.com</u> (live and replay)

This press release and any other information related to the call will also be posted on Fabrinet's website at investor.fabrinet.com. The webcast will be archived on Fabrinet's website for a period of one year.

About Fabrinet

Fabrinet provides precision optical, electro-mechanical and electronic manufacturing services to original equipment manufacturers of complex products, such as optical communication components, modules and sub-systems, industrial lasers and sensors. Fabrinet offers a broad range of advanced optical and electro-mechanical capabilities across the entire manufacturing process, including process design and engineering, supply chain management, manufacturing, final assembly and test. Fabrinet focuses on production of high complexity products in any mix and any volume. Fabrinet maintains engineering and manufacturing resources and facilities in Thailand, the People's Republic of China and the United States. For more information visit: http://www.fabrinet.com.

Safe Harbor

"Safe Harbor" Statement Under U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements include all of the statements under the "Business Outlook" section relating to our forecasted operating results for the third quarter of fiscal year 2011. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties, and actual results could vary materially from these forward-looking statements. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to: less customer demand for our products and services than forecasted; less growth in the optical communications, industrial lasers and sensors markets than we forecast; difficulties expanding into additional markets, such as the semiconductor processing, biotechnology, metrology and material processing markets; increasing competition in the optical manufacturing services markets; difficulties in delivering products and services that compete effectively from a price and performance perspective; our reliance on a limited number of customers and suppliers; difficulties in accurately forecasting demand for our services; difficulties in managing our operating costs; difficulties in managing and operating our business in multiple countries (including in the U.S., Thailand and the People's Republic of China) and other important factors as described in Fabrinet reports and documents filed from time to time with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), including the factors described under the sections captioned "Risk Factors" in our quarterly report on Form 10-Q, filed on November 3, 2010 and our annual report on Form 10-K, filed on September 8, 2010. We disclaim any obligation to update information contained in these forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

Fabrinet
Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets
As of December 24, 2010 and June 25, 2010

(in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share data)	-	December 24, 2010	June 25, 2010
Assets			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	102,063	\$ 84,942
Receivable from initial public offering		-	26,319
Trade accounts receivable, net		123,479	101,51
Inventories, net		106,674	98,140
Investment in leases		7	1:
Deferred income taxes		795	690
Deposit for land purchase		-	2,16
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		2,052	2,53
Total current assets	_	335,070	316,320
Non-current assets	_		
Property, plant and equipment, net		68,943	57,65
Intangibles, net		976	1,220
Investment in leases		1,861	20
Deferred income taxes		1,847	1,620
Deposits and other non-current assets		630	582
Total non-current assets	_	74,257	61,099
Total assets	\$_		\$ 377,425
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity			
Current liabilities			
Long-term loans from banks, current portion	\$	5,468	\$ 6,008
Trade accounts payable		100,812	102,97
Income tax payable		3,652	2,52
Accrued payroll, profit sharing and related expenses		6,423	3,89
Accrued expenses		4,361	3,56
Other payables		6,091	5,93
Total current liabilities	_	126,807	124,90
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Non-current liabilities		11 012	14,37
Non-current liabilities Long-term loans from banks, non-current portion		11,913	,
		4,067	3,450
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Commitments and contingencies

Shareholders' equity

Preferred shares (5,000,000 shares authorized, \$0.01 par value; no shares issued and outstanding as of December 24, 2010 and June 25, 2010, respectively) Ordinary shares (500,000,000 shares authorized, \$0.01 par value; 33,790,325 shares and 33,751,730 shares issued and outstanding as of December 24, 2010 and June 25, 2010, respectively) 338 337 Additional paid-in capital 56,264 54,786 Retained earnings 208,051 177,040 Total shareholders' equity 264,653 232,163 Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity 409,327 \$ 377,425

Fabrinet Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations For the three and six months ended December 24, 2010 and December 25, 2009

	Three Months Ended				Six Months Ended			
(in thousands of U.S. dollars)	D	ecember 24, 2010	D	ecember 25, 2009	De	ecember 24, 2010	D:	ecember 25, 2009
Revenues								
Revenues Revenues, related party	\$	184,631 -	\$	97,893 16,500	\$	358,371 -	\$	182,137 29,274
Total revenues		184,631		114,393		358,371		211,411
Cost of revenues	_	(160,968)	_	(99,520)		(312,932)	_	(185,578)
Gross profit		23,663		14,873		45,439		25,833
Selling, general and administrative expenses	_	(5,951)	_	(3,800)		(10,778)	_	(7,609)
Operating income		17,712		11,073		34,661		18,224
Interest income		114		81		212		192
Interest expense		(90)		(128)		(201)		(289)
Foreign exchange loss, net		(670)		26		(1,048)		(34)
Other income	_	11	_			15_	_	-
Income before income taxes		17,077		11,052		33,639		18,093
Income taxes	_	(1,271)	_	<u>-</u>		(2,628)	_	(855)
Net income	\$ <u></u>	15,806	\$	11,052	\$	31,011	\$ <u></u>	17,238
Earnings per share								
Basic	\$	0.47	\$	0.36	\$	0.92	\$	0.56
Diluted	\$	0.46	\$	0.35	\$	0.90	\$	0.55
Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding								
(thousands of shares)								
Basic		33,768		30,856		33,765		30,782
Diluted		34,450		31,387		34,401		31,328

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